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## **AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

This paper responds to the Office Action mailed 7 August 2006 in the patent application referenced above. This response is timely filed in view of the enclosed petition for a three-month extension of time, which extends the period available for response through and including 7 February 2007.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 7.